Parks and recreation meeting minutes February 17th

Attendance: Board Members: Mike Riegel Chairman, Ryam McCulley, Marc Mignogna, Adele Connolly, Scott Rieland, Sara McIlvaine

Town Staff: Ashley Collier Parks and Events Manager, Nancy Hernandez Parks Attendent

The Meeting was called to order at 7:08 following the Pledge of Allgiance. The January meeting minutes were approved.

Chair Report: Chairman Riegel went over the most recent town events

Council Report: Waived Councilmember Reed absent

Guests: Bark in Dog 5k: Expanding community event by adding 5k. \$ will go back into the community such as helping those in need as well as tragic events. Bark in the park at the dog park starts at 11. The board agrred to tentatively approve.

Updates:

Summit Ridge: ES project was in use. Playground set for refresh

Community garden: Seeking Volunteers

Rails to Trails: Closed for construction

Watkins Park: Volleyball court on agenda soon, Charging Stations, front tesla charger replaced 2 hour parking limit on all 6 places

ADA Playground: 2nd phase started construction

Beautification Updates: Met on 2/15 tree shrub pruning starting soon, town awarded \$5 grand keep america beautiful grant. New member joining commission pending approval. Looking into quotes for new sign at wildwood

Staff Report:

Pickelball Net: Ordered last week

Love your park week: April 16-22

Walking Wag: April 30th tentatived date

Bark in park: May 21st

Unfinshed Business:

Windy Ridge Multi Use Trail: Greenstone trail craft design plan, 7 people toured the proposed trail area for 2 1/2 hours, vast majority is multi use, East/West stormwater management required to meet regulations

Skate Park: Design proposed phase 1 pump track 20,000 sqaure feet of impervious area. Project cost 40,000. Looking to have concrete donated, stormwater management next step as well as style of rail to be determined. \$14,000 in bank, anything over 30 grand has to go out for bid

2022 Field Allocations:

Reps from all the sports organizations were on the call and spoke about scheduling. The propsed allocations are following. East West to FCCL, Watkins convert to softball assign to MAYAA, Summit 70 primarily to MAYAA sometimes to FCLL, 90 diamond shared between American Legion and FCLL, Johnson field at Twin Ridge to MAYAA, Twin Ridge upper MAYAA soccer.

Baseball check in form: Process of finalizing form on website, sign will be ordered installed at all the parks

New Business:

Budget Priorities: Timeline- Provide new project ideas to town hall next week, staff provides package to the mayor by 3/1. The mayor presents proposal in April, adopted in May.

Mike went over all the upcoming events

The meeting ended at 9:15. The next meeting will be on March 17th at 7:00 format TBD.

Respectfully,

Marc Mignogna